

SOLDIER HOSPITAL PROGRAM OUTLINED

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ADOPTION IS INDICATED

Distribution of \$17,000,000 Appropriation to Be Made Throughout Country.

WASHINGTON, April 22.—Distribution of the \$17,000,000 authorized for soldier hospital construction under the Lingley bill recently signed by the President probably will be announced soon, it was said today at the Veterans Bureau.

Recommendations for the construction of new hospitals under consideration by Director Forbes of the bureau include a program for supplying a total of 12,000 beds for veterans suffering from mental diseases, according to a report recently submitted by a conference of specialists on mental diseases. Director Forbes has stated that the recommendations of the specialists have met with considerable favor, and the indications are they will be adopted at least in part.

This hospital construction program would include a new hospital of 500 beds to be located in the western part of Massachusetts, in the Connecticut Valley, to receive patients from Vermont, New Hampshire and northern Connecticut.

Port Porter at Buffalo, N. Y., could be made available to care for patients in the western part of New York State, according to the report, which also suggested that an additional 200 beds be provided at the hospital now at Perryville, Md., and 250 additional beds be provided at Gulfport, Miss.

A new hospital of 500 beds to be increased later to 1,000 beds was recommended for the Seventh Veterans Bureau district, which includes Ohio, Indiana and Kentucky, and a hospital of 2,000 beds to be later increased to 4,000 beds to be provided for District No. 8, which includes the States of Michigan, Illinois and Wisconsin.

A 500 bed hospital was recommended for District No. 9, which includes Iowa, Missouri, Kansas and Nebraska, and a similar institution for District No. 10, which includes Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota and Montana.

A hospital of 500 beds to be later increased to 1,000 beds was recommended for District No. 13, which includes Oregon, Idaho and Washington. This hospital would also care for patients from California, Nevada and Arizona.

It was also recommended that the hospital now being built at Fort Logan in Colorado, with a capacity of 200 beds, be immediately increased to 400 beds and ultimately to 700 beds.

PRISON FOR 30 YEARS FOR DANCING MASTER

Death Sentence Voted by Part of Trial Jury.

WASHINGTON, April 22.—Howard Leslie-Holt, teacher of dancing, whose pupils numbered children of some of Washington's most prominent families, was sentenced by Chief Justice McCoyle of the District of Columbia Supreme Court today to thirty years in the penitentiary upon conviction of an attack on a thirteen-year-old pupil.

Justice McCoyle in passing sentence disclosed that some of the jurors had voted for the death penalty, which may be imposed in such cases in the District of Columbia.

NINE YEARS PROBATION FOR SLAYER OF HUSBAND

Shot in Quarrel Over Bootlegging and Gambling.

LOS ANGELES, April 22.—Mrs. Julia Johnston, tried for the murder of her husband, Thomas P. Johnston, at their Long Beach home last summer and convicted of manslaughter, yesterday was placed on nine years probation by Judge Russ Avery of the Los Angeles Superior Court.

According to Mrs. Johnston, her husband was a gambler and bootlegger. She asked him, for the sake of their little daughter, to work legitimately, and he refused. They quarreled and she shot him.

"This court does not approve of wives shooting their husbands or of husbands shooting their wives," said Judge Avery, "and if any one in society thinks he or she is going to receive leniency if he or she goes out and shoots his or her spouse he or she is wrong."

"I want it distinctly understood that murder is murder, no matter who does it, and that the mercy extended to this defendant will be just as quickly withdrawn from the next defendant."

FREES WOMAN'S SLAYER BECAUSE HE WAS DRUNK

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BLOCKADE OF MEXICO PLAN ROUSES OREGON

He Calls Senator King's Proposal a Joke.

MEXICO CITY, April 22 (Associated Press).—The statements made in the United States Senate by Senator King, advocating a blockade of Mexico and the seizure of Mexican ports as a guaranty for the payment of American claims against Mexico, were described today as a joke, and the Senator was characterized as "the newest aid of the interventionists" by President Obregon in an interview.

The President said he did not believe the declarations of Senator King would affect public opinion, either in the United States or Mexico, and that they were unimportant so far as recognition of Mexico was concerned. The recognition status, the President added, was unchanged.

DIAZ'S TRIP STIRS RECOGNITION TALK

Rebel Leader, Representing Anti-Obregon Interests, Arrives in Washington.

Special Dispatch to The New York Herald Tribune, D. C., April 22.

Felix Diaz, nephew of the dictator Don Porfirio Diaz, arrived in Washington today, representing the anti-Obregon interests of Mexico.

His coming caused a flurry in Mexican circles, where there were immediate renewals of the rumor that Senator Paul, Secretary of Treasury, might come to Washington to negotiate directly with the State Department relative to the

recognition of Mexico. There are said to be indications that the Obregon Government is beginning to get restive and sporadic outbreaks in Mexico are becoming more frequent.

Felix Diaz has been in a revolt since the Carranza regime was initiated, and never has been reconciled to the Obregon Government. He is understood to have been in New York and comes here to discuss the Mexican situation. There is no possibility that he will be officially received, but he may find opportunity to discuss matters unofficially with heads of the Mexican division.

The report that Senator Paul will come to the United States is described as "unlikely but not impossible" by Mexican representatives here. They point out that it will be difficult for him to do so in view of the fact Mexico is not recognized, but this will not necessarily prevent him. State Department officials refuse to discuss the rumor, but it is accepted that the Department would like to see some definite action taken by the Mexicans which would bring to a climax the prolonged conversations which George T. Summerlin, Charge at Mexico City, has been carrying on.

While negotiations concerning recognition are developing a report has

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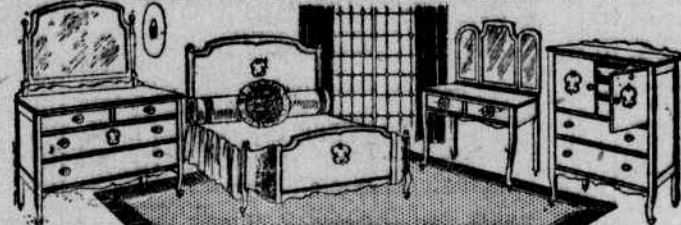
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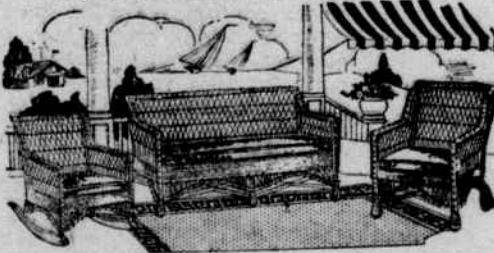
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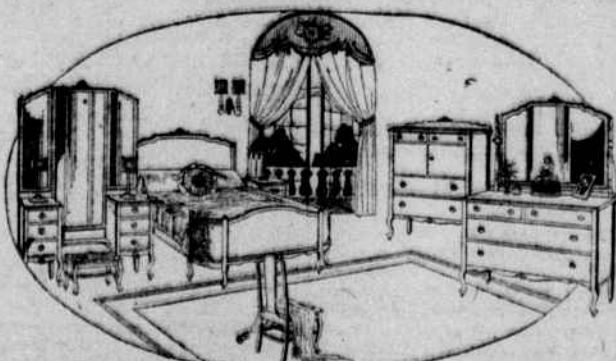
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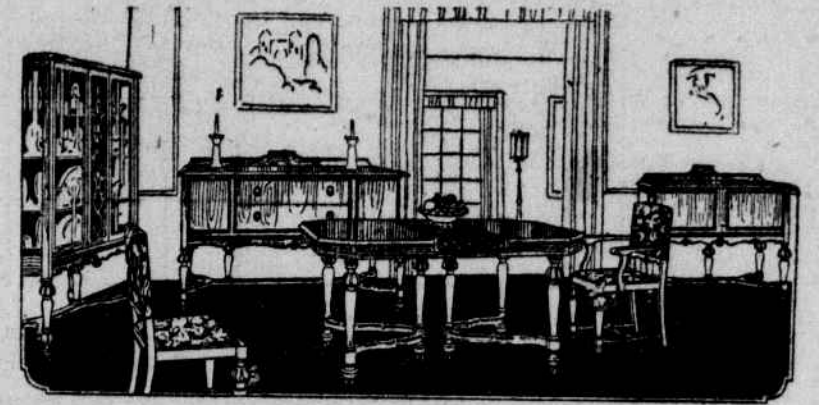
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